

UNCLASSIFIED

Defense Technical Information Center  
Compilation Part Notice

ADP013462

TITLE: CDC Public Health Oversight of Chemical Weapons Disposal

DISTRIBUTION: Approved for public release, distribution unlimited

This paper is part of the following report:

TITLE: Chemical and Biological Medical Treatment Symposium - Industry  
II World Congress on Chemical and Biological Terrorism

To order the complete compilation report, use: ADA411272

The component part is provided here to allow users access to individually authored sections of proceedings, annals, symposia, etc. However, the component should be considered within the context of the overall compilation report and not as a stand-alone technical report.

The following component part numbers comprise the compilation report:

ADP013371 thru ADP013468

UNCLASSIFIED

---

### **93. CDC PUBLIC HEALTH OVERSIGHT OF CHEMICAL WEAPONS DISPOSAL**

Captain Paul Joe  
U.S. Public Health Service  
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention  
4770 Buford Highway  
Mailstop F-16  
Atlanta, GA, US 30341-3724

#### **ABSTRACT**

The Department of Health and Human Services is mandated by Congress to protect the health and safety of the workers and surrounding communities during the transportation and disposal of chemical warfare weapons. This responsibility was delegated to the Chemical Demilitarization Branch of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). CDC performs this mission by assessing the disposal process, evaluating the chemical agent monitoring systems, setting chemical agent exposure limits, and preparing communities to respond to medical emergencies related to the chemical disposal program.

#### **KEYWORDS**

Chemical demil, chemical monitoring, chemical disposal program